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NEW ADVERTISEMENT

LONDON AND MANCHESTER FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Underwritten having been appointed SOLE AGENTS at this Port for the above Company are prepared to cover Risks against Fire at Current Rates.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents, Hongkong, 28th September, 1893. [2058]

THE CHINA NATURAL STEAM NAVIGATION CO. LIMITED.

SHAREHOLDERS are hereby informed that at a GENERAL MEETING held in London on the 15th inst. a dividend of 3 per cent. was declared on the 6 months ending 30th June, this being at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum. The dividend warrants will be ready on the 2nd October.

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INTIMATIONS

UNION-INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED.

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Head Office: HONGKONG, CANTON, Hongkong. Office: No. 376, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, MANAGERS: LEUNG YU SANG, WONG HUI CHOW.

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FOREIGN MACHINERY INTO CHINA EXCEPT FOR THE

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REUTERS' TELEGRAMS.

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LONDON, 23rd September.

THE SHERMAN ACT.

No fresh reports have been received from the Sherman Act.

ACCIDENT TO H.M.S. "CAMPERDOWN."

H.M.S. "Camperdown," Captain Charles Johnston, grounded, at the entrance to the harbour of Malta, but afterwards floated.

"BINGLASS" SORATCHED.

Mr. Macdonald's "Binglass" has been scratched for every engagement this year.

THE RUSSIAN IRONCLAD "ROOSALKA."

All hopes are abandoned of the safety of the Russian Ironclad "Roosalka" reported lost in the Baltic.

THE LIST OF THE WOUNDED INCREASED.

Two other Generals and numerous officers are reported to have been wounded by the explosion of the Argentine Republic.

THE REVOLT IN THE ARGENTINE REPUBLIC.

The insurgents have captured Rosario.

THE FUNERAL OF GENERAL MIRIBEL.

The funeral of General de Miribel took place yesterday at 10.30.

STRIKE OF COAL MINERS IN FRANCE.

A strike has taken place at the Lens mines on a question of wages.

TRIAL TRIP OF THE "PROSPERITE."

Yesterday afternoon, accepting the invitation of the new owners of the "Prosperite," the Hong Kong Steamship Company, a large party made a trial trip in the fine old vessel.

THE P. & O. STEAMER "ADEN" LEFT LONDON FOR

Aden on the 24th inst.

THE NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP "VICTORIA" ARRIVED AT

Tientsin on the 25th inst.

THE P. & O. STEAMER "JANE" LEFT SINGAPORE FOR

Aden on the 26th inst.

THE G. P. STEAMER "EUPHRATES" OF INDIA ARRIVED AT

Vancouver on Tuesday, the 25th inst.

PROFESSOR MAX WILL REAPPEAR IN HIS STARTLING

performances at the Wild Beast show this evening.

THE OBSERVATIONS NOTED AT 10.10 A.M.

on Tuesday were as follows: "Typhoon now in the North East, blowing from the North East, with a force of 10 to 12 miles per hour; light N. breeze; sea slight; weather fine."

THE FUNERAL OF THE LATE SARGENT PINNEY, ROYAL

Engineers, took place yesterday afternoon at 2.30.

FORTY CHINESE TRADERS AND OTHERS HAVE BEEN

arrested at Peking, charged with being accomplices of the pirates who kidnapped the "Suiyueh."

POLITICS REGARDING THE BULLION IN THE BUSINESS.

Money market for the week ending 18th and 22nd September, 1903.

SUGGESTION REPORT ON CONDITIONAL SALE AT NO. 12

to 27 (old Nos. 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100).

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OUR PARIS LETTER.

PARIS, 23rd August.

THE SHERMAN ACT.

The Sherman Act is a law which is intended to prevent the export of goods from the United States to other countries.

ACCIDENT TO H.M.S. "CAMPERDOWN."

H.M.S. "Camperdown," Captain Charles Johnston, grounded, at the entrance to the harbour of Malta, but afterwards floated.

"BINGLASS" SORATCHED.

Mr. Macdonald's "Binglass" has been scratched for every engagement this year.

THE RUSSIAN IRONCLAD "ROOSALKA."

VESSELS EXPECTED

The steamer *Ararat* *Apar*, with the
mail, left Singapore on the afternoon
25th and may be expected here about
20th inst.

THE AMERICAN MAIL.
The F. M. steamer *China* left San Fran-
cisco on the 12th inst. and may be
via Honolulu and Yokohama, on the 12th
inst. The O. S. steamer *Edgite*, with the
can mail, left San Francisco on the 21st
inst.

NEIGHBORING STEAMERS.
The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer *Polyp*, left
Singapore on the 22nd, and may be
here on the 23rd inst.

The N. G. Co. steamer *Giang* left
Singapore on the 22nd inst. and may
be expected here on the 23rd inst.

The F. M. Co. steamer *Java*, left Singa-
pore on the 22d Sept., and may be
expected here on the 23d inst.

The China Mutual steamer *Canton*,
Canton on the 26th Sept.

POST-OFFICE NOTICE.
The Postal Guide for 1893, revised
will be found in the *Chronicle* and
S. S. This is the only authorized
Summary of Postal information for
Hongkong.

PEAK DELIVERY closes at Post

Cars by 12 and 3.30 o'clock. From

Dances Peak will be cleared at 12.30 p.m.

THE authorized list of Matinees in connection with this paper is the one twice each day in our Extra, which will be a much later hour than the first given.

A. M. & L. W. H. G. S. S. S.

For Shanghai, Kobe, and Yokohama, to-morrow, the 28th inst., at 10.30 a.m.

For Ancon, Nauraki, Kobe, Yokohama, San Francisco.—For Pacific, to-morrow, the 29th inst., at 10.30 a.m.

For Manoa.—For Hongkong, to-morrow, the 29th inst., at 1.30 p.m.

For Kanda and Sandakan.—For Hongkong, the 28th inst., at 2.30 p.m.

For Hongkong.—For Cienzo, to-morrow, the 29th inst., at 2.30 p.m.

For Shanghai.—For Kaslin, to-morrow, the 29th inst., at 2.30 p.m.

For Hongkong.—For Pusan, to-morrow, the 29th inst., at 5.00 a.m.

For Hoihow and Pakhoi.—For Hongkong, the 28th inst., at 5.00 p.m.

For Sralow and Bangkok.—For Hongkong, the 29th inst., at 9.30 a.m.

For Nagasaki, Kobe, and Yokohama, to-morrow, the 29th inst., at 1.30 p.m.

For Swatow, Amoy, and Tientsin, to-morrow, the 29th inst., at 1.30 p.m.

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For Canton. — For *Nelasha*, to 2311, at 5.40 p.m.
For Singapore, Penang, and Ceylon, on Saturday, the 30th inst., at 1.30 p.m.
For Macao. — For *Heungshan*, the 30th inst., at 1.30 p.m.
For Shanghai, Nagasaki, Kobe, Yokohama, and Vancouver, the 30th inst., on Wednesday, the 4th inst., at 11.30 a.m.

MAILS BY THE BRITISH
The British Contract Packet *Har* despatched on **THURSDAY**, the 29th inst., with Mails for the United Kingdom and countries beyond.
Suez, Aden, Bombay, Calcutta, Ceylon, Aden, Egypt, Malia and Gambia.
The usual hours will be observed.
The Post-Office declines all responsibility for Letters containing Claret, or Jewellery, and where Losses are neglected, will make no allowance of loss of such letters.

MAILS BY THE CANADIAN
The *RAI WAKO* Contract Packet for Japan will be despatched on **WEDNESDAY**, the 4th October, at 11.30 a.m., for the United States of America and countries beyond, via Vancouver.
The following hours will be observed.

11.15 a.m. Registry closes.

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No Fire Insurance taken on the goods remaining in the Godown on October, will be subject to rental.

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Bills of Lading to be presented to

ARNOLD, KARL
Agent
Honzhang, 25th September.

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